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Applicant : Li-Te Chin
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In response to the communication dated November 6, 2003 (copy enclosed), applicant submits herewith a Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 CFR §1.824. In addition, applicant submits an initial Sequence Listing as required under 37 CFR §1.823(a) and a statement under 37 CFR §1.821(f).

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith for the instant application. Furthermore, applicant requests that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing be inserted into the specification.

REMARKS

Applicant hereby submits that the enclosures fulfill the requirements under 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825. The amendments in the specification merely insert the paper copy of the Sequence Listing in the specification. Support for the sequences listed in the Sequence Listing can be found, for example, in Table 1 (page 27) and Table 2 (page 28) of the specification as originally filed. No new matter has been added.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

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